

# SOUNDS OF FIRING OFF NATUNA ISLAND

## WOMEN IN A DRINKING BOUT

And One of Them Was His Wife, Taggart Alleges—Scene of Fest Was Ft. Thomas Canteen,

According to the Strange Recital of the Major, Who Names a Lot of Army Officers in Sensational Amendment to a Divorce Petition.

Wooster, Ohio, April 17.—An amended petition for divorce has just been filed here by Major Elmore F. Taggart, U. S. A., whose original plea, entered some time ago, for legal separation from Grace Viola Taggart, caused a sensation in society and army circles.

In his original prayer for divorce the Major set forth that his wife had deserted him and had received the attentions of Captain Louis Dash, U. S.

She came here from San Francisco to file a cross petition for divorce and in the custody of their two children.

He set forth that in Fort Leavenworth Taggart threw her with such force against a chandelier as to dislodge her jaw, and that he beat her repeatedly.

She says that while living in Fort Leavenworth, at the request of her husband, she attended a social fair with Captain Poore and wife and Lieutenant Granville Fortesque.

Lieutenant Fortesque is a relative of President Roosevelt. She said that when she returned to her home in company with Captain Poore, Taggart charged her with being intoxicated, and when she passed through the door rubbed her and tore her clothes from her body.

She named a Filipino woman as correspondent.

The Amended Petition.

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## WARM WEATHER IS DUE TO-DAY

The Entire Country is Shivering From Cold, While Snowfall is General.

Washington, April 17.—The weather thus far in the month has been unusually cold in practically all parts of the country. On Sunday measurable amount of snow fell in the lake region and upper Ohio valley and spits of snow were observed as far south as Asheville, N. C.

The crest of the area of high pressure to which the cold weather is due has reached the east Gulf states and the Ohio valley. Warmer weather may be expected about the middle of the week.

Fair weather is indicated in all directions, diminishing.

## LIVELY

Wheelbarrow Ride Given a Bride to Be at Marion.

WILL BE READ WITH INTEREST BY LIMITATES BECAUSE A LIMA MAN IS TO BE THE GROOM.

Marion, Ohio, April 17.—As a final to the entertainment given at the home of Miss Clara Titus in honor of Miss Clara Snyder, who is to be married early next month to Mr. George Dingler, of Lima, Miss Snyder had a wheelbarrow ride through some of the principal streets of the city early Saturday morning. It was given by her girl friends.

The young people had been making merriment at the Titus home until well after midnight, when some one suggested the wheelbarrow ride. The bride demurred, but her protests were in vain. A wheelbarrow was secured, she was bundled into it and the procession started, the girls carrying Japanese lanterns to add to the picturesqueness. Taking turns at the handles, the girls jolted and tumbled—victim along their shouts and laughter, fortunately for them, failing to attract the attention of any friendly bluecoat.

FUNERAL OF MRS. ANNA YAEGER

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## CASH WILL LET HER OUT OF JAIL

Cassie Has Arranged to Give Bail.

FEDERAL APPELLATE COURT FIXES AMOUNT OF BOND IN THE CASE WHERE CONVICTION WAS SECURED.

Cincinnati, O., April 17.—Because the United States Circuit Court of Appeals yesterday fixed a \$5,000



WEDNESDAY.

A RIBBON STRAPPED BLOUSE.

Plainly little garments blouses to be worn with either the short wool skirt of the morning or with the dressier ones of silk or velvet for the afternoon, take up much of a dressmaker's time and attention just now. The illustration offers a good model. There is a boned and fitted lining, over which a net lace with a simple but well-covered design is fuller, a layer of chiffon interposed between the lace and lining, to soften the effect. The fastening is in the back which is drawn down snugly to the belt and the fronts are just as at the waistline, there being no pouching or bagging over. The blouse is a full puff with a deep mitaine cuff, finished with a lace rill. The ribbons are posed in bretelle fashion, the pointed ends passing through silk crocheted rings below the bust, and the ends caught together in a bow either side of the waistline. The sleeve is similarly decorated.

## NAN PATTERSON WANTS YOUNG MEN JURORS IN HER THIRD TRIAL

Actress to Insist Veniremen Shall Not Be Old—Forty Years is Limit

Accused Woman Would Have for Those Who Will Pass Judgement on Guilt or Innocence.

New York, April 17.—When Nan Patterson goes to trial for the third time for the death of "Caesar" Young, she will insist upon a jury composed of young men. Daniel O'Reilly, her counsel, stated today by the prosecution.

They were mostly old men on the jury at her last trial," said O'Reilly, "and Nan feels sure if they had been younger she would have been acquitted. She is not counting on the susceptibilities of the younger men, but she says that they can see things better than an older man, who merely figures on the law of the main points and pays no attention to the details. As to the dismissing of the indictment for conspiracy against Nan, she said she never could see how the court could do anything else, and she fully believes the indictment against Morgan Smith and his wife will be dismissed also."

The third trial is scheduled to begin this morning. It is believed at least three days will be spent in sequestering the jury.

United States District Attorney J. J. Sullivan for the Northern District of Ohio and ex-United States Judge Francis J. Wing appeared in the Appellate Court yesterday to get the judges to fix bail pending the appeal. This was done so that the prisoner may have a chance to secure surety if she so desires. It is believed that a friend, or big financier, who has been involved in some manner in her troubles, will furnish to some bonding company enough good collateral as security in order that the latter may be induced to furnish bail, and thus help to conceal the identity of her "friend."

Mrs. Chadwick was sentenced to 10 years in the Ohio Penitentiary on charges of smuggling precious stones and other articles into this country and for conspiracy in endeavoring to wreck the national bank of Oberlin, Ohio. Her case will not be heard in the court of Appeals until next fall.

Steamer Arriving at Hong Kong Reports Having Heard Guns—Eighteen Russian Ships Sighted on Friday.

HONG KONG, April 17.—The steamer *Telamachus* reports that she heard firing 150 miles north of the Natuna islands at 3:20 o'clock in the afternoon of April 12.

## MYSTERIOUS WIRELESS MESSAGE

MANILA, APRIL 17.—THE CRUISER RAINBOW, THE FLAGSHIP OF THE PHILIPPINE SQUADRON, RECEIVED A WIRELESS TELEGRAM AT 6 O'CLOCK YESTERDAY EVENING FROM SOME POINT ESTIMATED AT ABOUT SIXTY MILES OFF THE ENTRANCE OF MANILA BAY, AS FOLLOWS:

"IS THERE ANYONE INSIDE WITH A WIRELESS APPARATUS?"

THE FOLLOWING ANSWER WAS RETURNED:

"DO YOU WANT TO COMMUNICATE?"

NO REPLY WAS MADE TO THE QUESTION, AND THE TORPEDO BOAT DESTROYERS DALE AND DECATUR WERE SENT TO INVESTIGATE. THEY HAVE RETURNED TO PORT WITHOUT HAVING SOLVED THE MYSTERIOUS MESSAGE.

Singapore, April 17.—The North German Lloyd steamer *Prinz Heinrich* reports that she sighted eighteen vessels of the Russian Baltic squadron in Kamrak bay at noon on Friday last. The steamer did not sight any Japanese warships.

St. Petersburg, April 17.—There is no information from Vice Admiral Rojstvensky's *Wladimir* but the admiralty would not be surprised to learn of skirmishing between scout ships today or tomorrow.

## SERIOUS AFTER

Accident to an Aged Lady on

WEST WAYNE STREET SUNDAY MORNING—WAS GOING TO CHURCH WHEN SHE FELL AND BROKE HER HIP.

Mrs. David Hugget, who lives on West Wayne street near the Desicope church, while on her way to church Sunday morning, slipped at her home and in falling fractured her hip. Owing to her advanced age, she being 76 years old, the injury is a very serious one. The patient was removed to the city hospital this afternoon.

Mr. C. C. James, of Norton, Ohio, has returned home after a visit with his grandmother, Mrs. A. E. Conklin, of south Pine street.

## TERrible FATE OF YOUNG GIRL

Body of Young Woman Found Horribly Mutilated in Woods—Two Negroes Suspected of Committing the Crime.

Little Falls, Minn., April 17.—There is a great excitement here today over the discovery of the dead body of Annie Kintop in the woods about four miles from this city. The body was not seen again until her body was found today. The place where the girl's body was found bears evidence of a terrific struggle. Charles Nelson, living near the scene of the murder, heard screams about dusk on Monday night and saw two unknown negroes near the spot. A posse has been organized and the country is being scoured for the negroes.

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Pleading not guilty is becoming a

force of habit with Mrs. Chadwick.

Just to show that it is still doing

business at the old stand the sugar

trust has raised the price.

"Is guessing gambling?" Not al-

ways. We can scarcely accuse the

weather bureau of gambling.

The report that the Japanese army

is going to reorganize on a larger scale

is not necessarily a fish story.

"Wealth is slavery." Says An-

drew Carnegie. To avoid slavery in-

vest in a get-rich-quick scheme.

Cheer up. Next August you will

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MINOR LEAGUE TEAMS DRAW \$1-  
1500,000 MOR A SEASON IN AD-  
DITION TO LARGE AMOUNTS  
OF INCIDENTALS.

It costs no small amount of money to provide the American public with entertainment in the way of baseball games, as shown by the expense books of the professional baseball associations. In the National Association of Minor Leagues alone the salary account of the season will be close to \$4,150,000. The association has a membership of 26 leagues and each one of the leagues has from four to eight clubs, in most cases eight. The Minor League association pays out in salaries each month the sum of \$750,000. Then there is the expense of travel and board of players, to say nothing of the expense of getting the grounds in condition and maintaining them during the season. The amount of money paid out to get Toledo ready for the season is far in the thousands. The reconstruction of the stand and park will cost about \$4,500, and this, with salaries and expenses of men, will put a large amount of money on the wrong side of the ledger before the season opens.

The monthly salary account of the major leagues is \$125,000. The major league season lasts six months, and this makes the salaries for sixteen clubs amount to \$750,000. The total amount of salaries paid to players in teams under the national agreement is nearly \$4,000,000. In addition to the salaries of players, there is the cost of groundkeepers, rent and policemen, with other incidentals. A great many paid admissions are required to keep the ball rolling.

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Saturday's Results.  
Cincinnati ..... 7  
Pittsburg ..... 0

Philadelphia ..... 8  
Brooklyn ..... 3

New York ..... 15  
Boston ..... 0

St. Louis ..... 2  
Chicago ..... 1

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Saturday's Results.  
Philadelphia ..... 6  
Boston ..... 5

Cleveland ..... 6  
Detroit ..... 2

New York ..... 4  
Washington ..... 0

Chicago ..... 3  
St. Louis ..... 2

Yesterday's Results.  
Pittsburg ..... 9  
Cincinnati ..... 4

Chicago ..... 4  
St. Louis ..... 3

GAMES TODAY.

National League.  
Pittsburg at Cincinnati.  
Chicago at St. Louis.  
Boston at New York.  
Philadelphia at Brooklyn.

American League.  
St. Louis at Chicago.  
Detroit at Cleveland.  
New York at Washington.  
Boston at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.  
Chicago ..... 5  
St. Louis ..... 0

Wrestler Looking for Match.  
Marysville, April 17.—"Dad" Clark, a well known amateur wrestler from Richwood, who has been on the mat with Al Ackerman, has issued a challenge to wrestle any man in Marysville for \$100 and agrees to throw him into the inside of an hour or forfeit the purse and all the door receipts. Clark says he is not particular whether the match comes off in Marysville or Richwood, and is willing to meet his opponent 30 days after being notified. He also agrees to meet any man in Union county for \$50 a side on the above conditions.

The double shoot the corkscrew, the fade away, the whirligig, the stop ball and the spit ball, are all in the eyes of the fans now, and relative merits are being discussed. When the

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Kidney Disease  
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Lung Disease  
Malaria—Measles  
Mastitis—Nose Troubles  
Piles—Pneumonia  
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Says yesterday's Cincinnati Enquirer: "Visitors at the Business Men's club yesterday were: J. J. Payne, Indiana; H. F. Dreher, Portsmouth, Ohio; Charles L. Mine, Chicago, Ill.; A. Davis New York, R. C. Fleming, Milton, N. C.; D. McKay, Detroit; Leo Feldmann New York, B. Wohlgemuth, Lima, Ohio.

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was found necessary to increase the

price of all lots in Woodlawn Ceme-  
tary, and also to increase the Per-  
petual Care Fund of said association,and that said trustees thereupon  
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## CURTAILED

Work in Oil Fields Because of the Low  
Prices of the Crude Product.Experts Consider Now a Good Time to Buy Leas-  
es in Hope of Future Profits.

The continued downward tendency of crude oil markets is gradually having its effect on the smaller operators of the oil country, and during the past ten days there has been a number of sales reported. It is predicted that before the summer ends the Standard will have picked up some of the best producing leases in the Ohio and Indiana fields. While the big operators can afford to sink wells on leases where they already have producing property, the smaller operators cannot afford to work at present quotations, nor can the speculative element, which is largely for the finds made in every oil district afford to go outside the refined limits in seeking the

average well of 40-5 barrels while this is good for but 36-2 barrels. The comparative total production secured was 2,500,000 as against 2,320 for the past week.

Largely attributed as the cause for this is the decline of the average well in the bonanza district of Delaware county, Indiana, where the wells the past week averaged but 33-5 barrels, as against 70-5 for the preceding period. In the Buckeye field during the past week there was the same number of completions as in the preceding week with a decided increase in production secured. During the week the new wells are divided among the following counties, viz:

County	Wells	Prod.	Dry
County	Comp.	Brls.	Holes
Wood	8	320	2
Hancock	2	45	..
Allen	3	80	..
Anglaze	1	15	..
Sandusky	6	190	..
Mercer	1	25	..
Van Wert	2	30	..
Wyandot	3	115	..
Totals	26	820	3

The past week saw another decline in the market, 2 cents a barrel being taken from all the Western product, while at the same time hundreds of wells in Kansas and the Indian and Oklahoma Territories are being shut down, as the Standard has refused to "run" the tanks, owing to the fact that it has no storage in order to care for the product. All the big operators in the far West field have curtailed if not stopped entirely new work, while they big producing wells they have been closed down awaiting the appearance of Standard gauges. Many of the producers are building their own big storage tanks. The Standard is taking a limited quantity from all the properties, but not a tenth of the total. While this condition exists out West new work will be scarce but no such conditions are in evidence in the Trenton rock field. Old oil men claim now is the harvest of the capitalists, as investors who can buy leases at present ruinous prices will reap a big profit in a few years. Is the history of old oil proves that present quotations are abnormal.

During the past week in the Trenton rock field there were more new wells completed than in the preceding period, but production declined. As against 61 wells this week shows 64, but the preceding week had an

average well of 40.9 barrels while this is good for but 36.2 barrels.

The comparative total production secured was 2,500,000 as against 2,320 for the past week.

Largely attributed as the cause for this is the decline of the average well in the bonanza district of Delaware

county, Indiana, where the wells the past week averaged but 33.5 barrels, as against 70.5 for the preceding period.

In the Buckeye field during the past week there was the same number of completions as in the preceding week with a decided increase in production secured.

During the week the new wells are divided among the following counties, viz:

We are prepared to furnish your new Easter Outfit, Easter Millinery, Silk Shirts, Waist Suits, Sunburst Skirts, Corsets, Underwear, Gloves and Neckwear. Also a full line of Dry Goods and Notions. Open Evenings This Week.

**Van Horn & Co.,** Cor. Spring and Main.

**CALLED**

**THE RAILROADS**

**TO BUFFALO BY THE SICKNESS OF HIS WIFE WHO UNDERWENT AN OPERATION.**

B. A. Connolly, of the Lima Light and Street Railway company, was called to Buffalo by the serious sickness of his wife.

Mrs. Connolly underwent an operation and word from there this morning is to the effect that she is getting along as well as could be expected.

"Have used 'Easy Task' for some time and find it does more than what you claim it will do on the wrapper."

MRS. J. O. HOGEDORN,  
Covington, Ohio.

M. H. Finch, of this city, received a telegram Saturday announcing the death of his brother, at Livingston Manor, New York, and left immediately with his brother of Geneva, Indiana, to attend the funeral.

**NOTICE.**

All members of the K. O. T. M. are invited to a social review, Monday night. Refreshments. C. N. Wells, R. K.

The little folks love Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Pleasant to take; perfectly harmless; positives cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma.

**SPECIAL HOME-SEEKERS' EXCURSIONS VIA PENNSYLVANIA LINES**

April 4th and 18th excursion tickets will be sold via Pennsylvania lines to points West, South and Southwest; account special Home-Seekers' Excursions. For full particulars regarding fares, routes, etc., apply to Local Ticket Agent of those lines.

The people of this country are now offered a Chicago daily for \$1 a year. The Chicago Daily Review is sent to subscribers for \$1 a year, 75 cents for six months; 50 cents for three months, and suspended when the time is out. The Daily Review is a delightful family paper with all the news of the day condensed into four pages, hence the low price. It is printed in large clear type, easily read by young and old, and publishes a brilliant magazine feature by a popular author every day, besides much good poetry, an interesting departments, devoted to science and invention, art, literature, music, education, hygiene, home management, fashions, humor, sports and recreation, travel, matters of interest to women and children, etc. It is a clean family paper and admits nothing to its reading or advertising columns that cannot be read aloud in the family circle. The Daily Review has subscribers in every state in the union, and every county and township in this and surrounding states. It is just the daily paper for busy farmers and business men, professional men and their families. Subscribers for the Daily Review today. Send one dollar to Chicago Review Co., room 499, No. 1322 Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill., and receive this fine paper every day except Sunday for a whole year.

**FAUROT OPERA HOUSE**  
TUESDAY, APRIL 18.  
**A JOLLY AMERICAN TRAMP**  
By the Author, "A Poor Relation," and "Peaceful Valley," etc.  
**THE GREATEST COMEDY MELO-Drama of the AGE.**  
Nothing like what has come before. Novel, Redolent of Life. Unique. Powerful. Fascinating and A REAL CHALLENGE PRODUCTION GREAT COMPANY  
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Prices—10, 20, 30 and 50 cents. Box office opens Monday 9 a.m.

# IS NO MORE

**William Roberts Passed Away Yesterday.**

**WAS BORN IN ALLEN COUNTY 65 YEARS AGO—PROMINENT IN FINANCIAL CIRCLES.**

Transcontinental Run.  
New York, April 17.—The private car of W. Seward Webb, the millionaire railroad man of New York, rolled into the grand central station at 8:50 this morning, after a fast trip from San Francisco, starting at eight o'clock Monday evening. Mr. Webb looked at his watch as he alighted and remarked to a friend who was waiting on the platform:

"Ten minutes better than I expected. I have broken the transcontinental railroad record between New York and San Francisco by nearly two hours."

And so he had—with one exception, that history escaped his memory—time between the coast was 81 hours and 55 minutes, but about thirty-five years ago was made, the "great thirty-hour run" of the Barrett and Palmer theatrical special, which covered the distance in a little under 80 hours in June, 1875. That record Mr. Webb endeavored, and but for several delays would have established a new timing. Mr. Webb is well known as a fast railroad traveler. He has broken railroad records all over the United States.

The C. H. and D. brought into Lima Saturday afternoon a special train consisting of three Pullmans, one baggage and one combination car, en route from Detroit to Washington, D. C., with a party of about 180 Detroit school teachers on eastern vacation.

The train, at Cincinnati, was delivered to the C. H. and D. railroad, and returning will reach Cincinnati next Saturday morning and will leave on the same day via the C. H. and D. for Detroit, passing through Lima during the afternoon.

Come early and secure a good seat at the Auditorium tonight 10 and 20 cents.

**PRETTY LACE CURTAINS**

At moderate prices are a feature of our Curtain Department. We have a line of novelty curtains, at from \$2.00 to \$5.00 a pair that are hard to beat. We have cheaper ones and the more expensive ones too. You should see our line when you get ready to clean house. We mark our goods in plain figures. Try trading here in instead of installment stores. An investigation will prove to you that our prices are lowest. F. E. Harman.

**AMATEUR BASE BALL**

The Lima Lads played the Judy team, the score being 17 to 16 in the Lima Lads' favor. The Lima Lads were Carl Frey, catcher; Harry Watt, pitcher; White Castle, first base; E. Muller, second; John Malloy, short stop; Arthur Herrel, third base; Harry Miller, right field; Ed Daugherty, left field. The captain was Eddie Muller.

1st Regiment in drill at Auditorium tonight 10 and 20 cents.

**AMERICAN BIOGRAPH CO. COMING TO THE AUDITORIUM APRIL 16 AND 17.**

The American Biograph Company is booked for two engagements at the Auditorium next week, Monday and Tuesday, April 16 and 17.

**THE MAY FESTIVAL**

According to the usual custom The Choral society this year presents a festival of unusual merit, combining with the Philharmonic Orchestra. The work chosen is the beautiful work of Haydn, **THE SEASONS**, one of the most pleasing oratorios.

All who have heard "Creation" will be more than pleased that a companion work by the great composer has been chosen.

Soloists have been secured from New York and Chicago and the work will be given in magnificence style and will be held on May third.

**RECOVERING**

FROM A SEVERE ILLNESS IS E. GALE, THE TAILOR.

E. Gale, the tailor, who has been seriously sick at his home, corner of Washington and High streets for the past week, is convalescing from an attack of bronchial trouble.

## FOR THE PUBLIC GOOD.

**This will Interest Every Resident of Lima.**

You can readily verify the following particulars, for the gentleman supplying them will be only too pleased to answer any inquiries by mail. If you suffer from disorder of the kidneys or bladder and desire to be cured write him about Doan's Kidney Pills and learn that the following statement is true in every particular:

H. S. Neff, engineer at the Electric Light Plant, and living at 967 E. North street, Lima, O., says: "For treating the back of kidney complaint in any of its varied forms or symptoms I know of no remedy on the market to equal Doan's Kidney Pills. While I am averse to publicity of this sort I was so pleased with the prompt and permanent results derived from the use of Doan's Kidney Pills for back or kidney troubles in 1892 that I gave my testimony for publication, and am glad to repeat it at this time, for during the six years past I have been so free from kidney trouble that the slight symptoms recurring at times have yielded very quickly to the use of Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

# OPEN HOUSE

**WILL BE HELD AT BANNER TENT KNIGHTS OF Maccabees THIS EVENING.**

There will be an interesting meeting of Banner Tent, Knights of the Maccabees at their hall corner of Main and High streets, at which time an entertainment will be enjoyed. The members of the order and their friends are invited to participate in the festivities.

**BEAUTIFUL MATTINGS.**

We are showing the prettiest line of matting in town. We have them at 10¢ a yard and from that to 50¢ a yard. We have a beautiful line of the celebrated Fiber matting that we sell at 50¢ a yard. These rugs are great bargains and the above list covers the entire stock. They won't last long. Come and see them if you can use them. They are elegant for bedroom rugs, just the thing to use long side of your bed or in your bath room.

**THE NAZARENE CHORUS.**

Last Friday evening at Epworth church under the direction of Mr. J. L. Bowles a chorus of seventy-five voices assisted by the Watson orchestra, rendered this most beautiful cantata to a large and enthusiastic audience. Long before the time appointed people were lined up in front of the church, awaiting the time to receive a choice seat. The auditorium being filled to its full capacity, they were compelled to secure seats in the Sunday school room until the house was packed. The choruses were the finest of the season. The special parts were rendered in a very effective manner and the richness of the program was complete. The soprano solo by Mrs. R. H. Eberole, Mrs. E. V. Wells' Mrs. Pearl, Tyler, were complimented very highly for the artful manner of rendition.

The alto solo by Miss Helen Baddeau, Miss Lou Kling were charming in their attractiveness upon the audience and received hearty applause throughout the program. Tenor solo, Mr. R. H. Eberole, Mr. Roland Milkesell. Their parts, while the range being very high, yet was mastered with the best effect.

The bass solo by Mr. Marion Noyes, Mr. Carl Cleyniger, was also a climax of the evening. The "Prophecy" the first selection rendered by Mr. Mirellion was evidence to the audience that they were enjoying one of the best musical treats of the season. The program was interspersed with orchestra selections by the famous Watson orchestra which always receives hearty applause from many loving people. The chorus have been asked to repeat the program in the near future which will be determined later.

**BROTHERHOOD CONVENTION.**

The seventh biennial convention of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen is scheduled for Buffalo on the 15th of May, and Grand Master Morley has issued an invitation to each of the 726 lodges in the United States and Canada to send delegates to the meeting. This organization was ad-

mitted to the March 1, 1901, issue of the *Grand Lodge Circular* of the Grand Lodge of the Knights of Columbus.

For further information as to rates, routes, etc., call on Agent L. E. & W. address.

H. J. RHEIN,  
General Passenger Agent  
Indianapolis, Ind.

Estate of James H. Cook, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed to administer of the estate of James H. Cook, late of Allen Co., Ohio, deceased. Dated this 25th of March, A. D., 1905. T. F. Cook.

By Russell L. Armstrong.

His Attorney.

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316,600,000.

# A LIMA RECTOR

**Conducted Palm Sunday Services at**

**TRINITY CHURCH IN TOLEDO**

**REV. G. F. G. HOYT, OF**

**CHRIST CHURCH.**

**The Rev. G. F. G. Hoyt, of Christ**

**church, Lima, conducted the Palm**

**Sunday services at Trinity, Episcopal**

**church, yesterday. The altar and**

**chancel were beautifully decorated**

**with palms, and a feature of the**

**service was the carrying of palms by**

**the vested choir in the processionals.**

At the morning service it was an-

**ounced that the letting of pews will**

**take place on May 1. Members will**

**be given an opportunity to reserve**

**the pews they now occupy by giving**

**notice upon return postal cards, which**

**will be mailed to them.**

Every day this week, except Good

**Friday, there will be holy communion**

**at 9 a.m. and evening prayer at 4:30**

**p.m. At noon, Wednesday, there will**

**be a 15-minute service. On Good**

**Friday at 9 a.m. morning prayer,**

**and anti-communion. At noon**

**Friday there will be a 3-hour service,**

**and the evening prayer service will be**

**omitted.**

**TUESDAY'S SPECIAL.**

At one p.m. we will place on sale

**one bale of Smyrna Rugs. For price**

**see our window. The first anniversary**

**of THE SIMONS-ROUSH CO.**

**MISSIONARY MEETING.**

The Women's Home Missionary society of Trinity M. E. church will hold its regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, April 19, at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. F. B. Lewis, 538 South West street. Secretary,

Elmer Barth will add a line of groceries to his meat market the first of the week.

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Miss Rowena Jackson, who is at

attending school in Cincinnati, is spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jackson.

Ex-Senator W. G. Brechin made a

driving trip last week through the Canadian oil fields, at Lexington and other points, in the interest of the People's Oil and Gas company, of this

Blood River.

The common pleas court room and

the assembly room of the court house

were visited by a large number of the

pupils of the county and other schools.

Saturday, the occasion being the Pat-

erson examination. This was formerly

known as the Bowditch examination

and pupils who pass it creditably are

entitled to instruction. In the city

schools, the county paying all tuition

expenses. Children of varying ages and sizes were very much in evidence

during the day.

A suit for money, the amount in-

volving about \$320, was begun Satur-

day in common pleas court by Edward

P. Wilkins. The defendants are Jack-





"Queen Quality."

If you have experienced difficulty in obtaining moderately priced shoes combining graceful outlines and correct fashion with the firm, easy tread so essential to the well-posed figure, you will appreciate the elegance and comfort of the "Queen Quality" Shoe. It is the "glass of fashion and the mold of form" as applied to women's footwear—the perfect finishing touch to your Easter toilette.

Oxfords "Custom grade" \$2.50  
Boots 50c extra  
This store controls the sole right of sale.

**GOODING'S,**

230 North Main Street.



EAGER FOR THE FRAY.  
Grandma—My dear, you know nothing of the battle of life.  
Debbie Tante—No; but I hope soon to get into an engagement.

**JOB PRINTING**

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Leases, Etc., Etc.

## PERSONALS

Mrs. Albert Koch and daughter, Jean, of Cleveland, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sol Weisenthal.

William Lane, of New York, is the guest of Harley Holmes, a schoolmate at Ann Arbor.

Mrs. P. H. Calvert, department president of the Ladies G. A. R. is the guest of Mrs. George Hall.

M. H. Finch, of north Collett street, accompanied by his brother, V. H. Finch, of Geneva, left Saturday for Livingston Manor, New York, to attend the funeral of their brother, Muriel Finch.

Mr. B. A. Connolly, of west High street, is in Bluffton where he was called by the serious illness of Mrs. Connolly, who has been visiting there.

Miss Kate Sorg, of Delphos, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Aaron Hartzog, of Fostoria, was here Saturday.

Mrs. J. R. Colston and son Joe were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter K. Campbell, of St. Marys, Saturday.

Mrs. Howard Hover and little son George, went down to Wapakoneta Saturday for a short visit.

Mrs. E. Duncan and little child Sidney are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pangle, of west Spring street.

Mrs. John S. Good and children, of Toledo, are the guests of her sister, Mrs. Glen S. Rohm, 304 west Wayne street.

## MORE

of a Scare Than  
Anything Else.

SMALL BLAZE YESTERDAY  
MORNING OVER THE SALVATION ARMY QUARTERS.

Quite a little excitement was created yesterday morning when the fire department was called to the building occupied by the Salvation Army on east High street. The blaze was located in the rooms occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller, over the Salvation Army room, and was extinguished before doing damage.

## CHARGE

of Stoning a Passenger  
Train on the L.  
E. & W.

COULD NOT BE PROVEN AND  
THESE LIMA BOYS WERE  
DISMISSED ONLY TO BE  
HELD ON ANOTHER  
CHARGE.

Three Lima boys, Van Cronley, Benjamin Althoff and Jerry Duggan, who were recently arrested on the charge of stoning a Lake Erie and Western passenger train, were dismissed Saturday for want of prosecution. Althoff and Duggan, are still in tow however, being held on a brass stealing charge while young Cronley is being held for breaking into and robbing a freight car on the L. E. and W. at Bluffton.

TUESDAY'S SPECIAL  
At one p. m. we will place on sale one bale of Smyrna Rugs. For price see our window. The first anniversary.  
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## DEATH

of a Former Limaite at  
Toledo Hospital.

REMAINS OF G. E. DAVIS  
BROUGHT TO LIMA FOR  
BURIAL

George E. Davis died Saturday afternoon at the Toledo hospital. He was a former Limaite, a brother of F. V. Davis, of this city, and was aged 72 years. The remains will be brought to this city for burial and the funeral will be held next week, the time not having yet been decided upon.

### CARPETS.

You will be looking for carpets when you clean house. All we ask is an honest comparison of our goods. We sell them cheap as any dealer in America can sell the same quality. We sell cotton for cotton and wool for wool. When you get ready, come and see us. We want to show you and if after you have seen our stock you conclude not to buy we won't complain. F. E. Harman.

See the drama in mid-air at the Auditorium tonight 10 and 20 cents.

### FUNERAL OF THE LATE WILLIAM RICHARDSON.

The funeral of the late William Richardson was held this morning at ten o'clock from the residence of his sister, Mrs. M. J. Ballard, 415 north Metcalf street.

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